

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Hidetsugu Tsubouchi et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1624
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Application No.: 10/574,597)	Examiner: Ebenezer O. Sackey
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Filed: April 27, 2007)	
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For: 2,3-Dihydro-6-Nitromidazo (2, 1-b))	Confirmation No.: 3970
Oxazole Compounds for the)	
Treatment of Tuberculosis)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 12, 2011, **the period for response having been extended to August 12, 2011 by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.